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Honorable Jenny A. Kitchings  
Clerk, South Carolina Court of Appeals  
P.O. Box 11629  
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: The State v. Samuel T. Collins  
Appeal from Beaufort County  
Appellate Case No. 2016-000526

Dear Ms. Kitchings:

The initial brief of respondent in the above-entitled action is due to be filed and served today, September 6, 2018. Due to my caseload, I will not be able to complete this initial brief in a timely fashion. For this reason, I respectfully request an extension for thirty (30) days in which to file the initial brief.

I have conferred with opposing counsel, who consents to the request. Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Susannah R. Cole  
Assistant Attorney General

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cc: Taylor D. Gilliam, Appellate Defender, S.C. Commission on Indigent Defense  
The Honorable Isaac McDuffie Stone, III, Solicitor, Fourteenth Judicial Circuit  
Trisha Allen, Victim Services

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